

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

Prior to the present communication, claims 1, 3-23 and 27-32 were pending in the subject application. Claims 1, 15 and 19 have been amended herein and claims 22 and 31 have been canceled. As such, claims 1, 3-21, 23, 27-30 and 32 remain pending. This Listing of Claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A method, comprising:

receiving electronic ink input;

converting the electronic ink input to one or more machine-generated objects;

determining a size of the one or more machine-generated objects by calculating a maximum height of the corresponding electronic ink input and setting the size of the one or more machine-generated objects to be equivalent in scale for the calculated maximum height; and

rendering the one or more machine-generated objects using the determined size for the machine-generated object or objects and an original inter-word spacing of the electronic ink input.

2. (Canceled)

3. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 1, wherein the size of the one or more machine-generated objects is determined by calculating an average height of at least a portion of the electronic ink input.

4. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 1, further comprising:

receiving input selecting at least one object from the rendered machine-generated object or objects; and

displaying the electronic ink input corresponding to the selected machine-generated object or objects in place of the selected at least one object.

5. (Original) A method according to claim 4, wherein the displayed electronic ink input temporarily replaces the rendered machine-generated object or objects.

6. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 1, wherein the one or more rendered machine-generated objects are displayed so as to correspond to an original arrangement of the electronic ink input.

7. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 1, wherein the electronic ink input includes electronic ink text input and the one or more machine-generated objects includes machine-generated text, wherein said step of determining the size of the one or more machine-generated objects constitutes determining a font size of the machine-generated text.

8. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 7, further comprising:

calculating the maximum height of the electronic ink text input on a word-by-word basis, wherein at least two words are separated by said original inter-word spacing.

9. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 8, wherein the machine-generated text is rendered, on the word-by-word basis, at a font size based on the calculated maximum height of the electronic ink text input.

10. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 7, further comprising:

calculating an average height of the electronic ink text input for a line of the electronic ink text input, on a line-by-line basis, wherein at least one line includes at least two words separated by said original inter-word spacing.

11. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 10, wherein the machine-generated text is rendered, on the line-by-line basis, at a font size based on the calculated average height of the electronic ink text input line.

12. (Original) A method according to claim 7, further comprising:
receiving input selecting one or more words from the rendered machine-generated text;

and

displaying the electronic ink text input corresponding to the selected machine-generated text.

13. (Original) A method according to claim 12, further comprising:
displaying machine-generated text alternatives corresponding to the selected one or more words.

14. (Original) A method according to claim 13, further comprising:

receiving input selecting a displayed machine-generated text alternative;
and

replacing the selected rendered machine-generated text with the selected displayed machine-generated text alternative.

15. (Currently Amended) A system, comprising:

an input device adapted to receive electronic ink input; and

a processor -adapted to:

(a) convert the electronic ink input to one or more machine-generated objects;

(b) ~~(e)~~ determine a size of the one or more machine-generated objects by calculating a ~~maximum~~ average height of the corresponding electronic ink input and setting the size of the one or more machine-generated objects to be equivalent in scale ~~for~~ to the calculated ~~maximum~~ average height;

(c) ~~(d)~~ render the one or more machine-generated objects using the determined size for the machine-generated object or objects and an original inter-word spacing of the electronic ink input, wherein word positions of the rendered machine-generated object or objects on a display correspond to original word positions of the electronic ink input on the display;

(d) receive a request from a user to reformat the machine-generated objects in a manner consistent with a word-processing format; and

(e) in response to the request, adjust the word positions of the rendered machine-generated objects wherein the word positions, the inter-word spacings, word wrap, and margins are consistent with the word-processing format.

16. (Previously Presented) A system according to claim 15, wherein the electronic ink input includes electronic ink text input and the one or more machine-generated objects includes machine-generated text, wherein said determine the size of the one or more machine-generated objects constitutes determine a font size of the machine-generated text.

17. (Previously Presented) A system according to claim 16, wherein the input is further adapted to receive a selection of one or more words from the rendered machine-generated text, and wherein the processor is further adapted to display the electronic ink text input corresponding to the selected machine-generated text and to display machine-generated text alternatives corresponding to the selected one or more words.

18. (Original) A system according to claim 17, wherein the input is further adapted to receive a selection of a displayed machine-generated text alternative, and the processor is further programmed and adapted to replace the selected rendered machine-generated text with the selected displayed machine-generated text alternative.

19. (Currently Amended) A computer-readable memory medium including computer-executable instructions stored thereon which when executed by a processor perform a method, the method comprising:

receiving electronic ink input;

converting the electronic ink input to one or more machine-generated objects;

obtaining the received electronic ink input and determining a size of the one of more machine-generated objects by calculating a maximum height of the corresponding electronic ink input and setting the size of the one or more

machine-generated objects to be equivalent in scale for the calculated maximum height; and

rendering the one or more machine-generated objects using the determined size for the machine-generated objects or objects and an original inter-word spacing of the electronic ink input.

20. (Previously Presented) A computer-readable memory medium according to claim 19, wherein the electronic ink input includes electronic ink text input and the one or more machine-generated objects includes machine-generated text, wherein said step of determining the size of the one or more machine-generated objects constitutes determining a font size of the machine-generated text.

21. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein said step of rendering comprises:

rendering the one or more machine-generated objects such that a word positioning of the rendered machine-generated object or objects substantially corresponds to an original word positioning of the electronic ink input.

22. (Canceled)

23. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable memory medium of claim 19, wherein said step of rendering comprises:

rendering the one or more machine-generated objects such that a word positioning of the rendered machine-generated object or objects substantially corresponds to word positioning of the electronic ink input.

24-26. (Canceled)

27. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein said electronic ink input is a table, and said inter-word spacing is a corresponding table column-spacing.

28. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 15, wherein said electronic ink input is a table, and said inter-word spacing is a corresponding table column-spacing.

29. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable memory medium of claim 19, wherein said electronic ink input is a table, and said inter-word spacing is a corresponding table column-spacing.

30. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising:
normalizing said inter-word spacing in response to a user-generated normalization command.

31. (Canceled)

32. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable memory medium of claim 19, further comprising:
normalizing said inter-word spacing in response to a user-generated normalization command.